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Dates for 2026 **Principal's Tours** released soon. Call us on **8388 7200** or fill in an **enquiry form** at oakbank.sa.edu.au.



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Upcoming Dates

Please check our Daymap Connect calendar for further dates & amendments.

WEEK 08	Year 7 Transition visits Reception visits
WEEK 09	Activities Week - assorted end of year activities for all students
08 DEC	Year 6 Graduation Dinner Monday 8 December
12 DEC	Last day of Term 4 Friday 12 December 2.15 Dismissal
WEEK 01	27 JAN Term 1 Staggered Start Tuesday 27 January All Primary, Year 7 & Year 12 return to school
29 JAN	Term 1 Staggered Start Thursday 29 January All students return to school



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From the Principal

Dear Parents & Caregivers,

As we reach the end of 2025, I am amazed that another year has flown by already!



2025 Presentation Night

Presentation Night at Ukaria was a special evening, commemorating the completion of secondary schooling for our Year 12 students and honoring other award recipients. The support we receive from local businesses, community groups and industry was truly evident on this evening as we acknowledged award winners of all types. We thank you all for your generous financial support.

Dennis Oldenhove presented our Old Scholar's speech, sharing his learnings from his time at Oakbank School, including using his year 9 hand-sewing skills to sew on the troops unit patches as he headed to the Iraq war zone. A skill many other men did not have at this time! He connected with our students as he shared his incredible career in the Defence forces as well as his work and volunteering post-defence.

It was the most amazing feeling celebrating students who had joined us in reception and were graduating with us in year 12. One of these, **Ava Smith**, who, as well as being a "life member" of Oakbank School also presented a beautiful, thoughtful and inspiring valedictorian speech. Our community on the night embraced and lived our school values of **Connection, Respect and Responsibility**.



Investing in the future

Our \$15.9 million grant has been moving along in the background this year as we navigate the complex design phase that will allow us to bring the ideas of the students, staff and families to life over 2026-2027. In term 1 we celebrated the opening of the new Cyber-technology suite, with state-of-the-art IT equipment and software enabling industry level access. The architects are working hard with us we look forward to sharing some more of our plans in the new year.



Senior Snow Trip

We again held our very successful Ski/Snowboarding Trip for 30 senior students. This unforgettable experience was more than just fun- it built resilience, friendships and saw growth in many areas of the students who participated.



Festival Choir

Our Year 6 Choir performed brilliantly at the Festival Choir, with one of our students singing a solo.



Celebrating the ANZAC Spirit

In the past year, our school has continued to go from strength to strength. This year two of our students won the very prestigious Anzac Spirit Prize and will be off to France in 2026.



Honouring School Spirit

Our values of **Connection, Respect** and **Responsibly** have shone through, with over 250 students each term being nominated to attend a Principal's lunch for demonstrating behaviour which bring these values to life. Choosing 20 each time is a great challenge!



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Our 2026 School Leadership Team

Executive Leadership



Principal
Lee Knight



Deputy Principal
Heath Perrott



Assistant Principal,
Secondary School
Bob Buxton



Assistant Principal,
Inclusion and Wellbeing
Maddy Eccleston



Leader - Agriculture,
Science and Sustainability
Milly Hoffmann



Business Manager
Louise Spencer

Leadership



Wellbeing Leader
Jasmin Ferraro



Learning Culture Leader,
Rec-Year 6
Nikki Kearton



Learning Culture Leader,
Year 7-8
Rachel Sant



Learning Culture Leader,
Year 9-10
Dave Binney

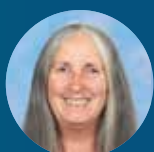


Learning Culture Leader,
Year 11-12
Kat Thompson

Ancillary Leadership



IT Manager
Matthew Fazakerley



Inclusion and
Intervention Manager
Ruth Hughes

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Community & Cultural Engagement

Our **Sheep Team** had great success at the **Royal Adelaide Show** and supported the promotion of our school at the **Uraidla Show**. Students attended the **Aboriginal STEM Learner Congress**, which was a great success. Empathy and understanding has been displayed by students by being involved in various community service projects, including volunteering with Vinnies.



Staff Farewells

At the conclusion of this year, we will farewell staff as they head off on new journeys and we thank them for their time at Oakbank School.

Alison Starr and **Jen Clark** will be taking maternity leave and we wish them well with the birth of their children.

Georgia Noble will take up a teaching role at Mannum Community School.

Wayne Mardell is heading off to teach at an independent school.

Kapil Pande has decided to resign.

The following staff will come to the conclusion of their contracts at Oakbank at the end of the year- **Natasha Cairns, Cam McNicol, Nathaniel Brooke, Naomi Corbet, Steve Gallagher, Tom Brandwood, Jaimee McHugh, Courtney Smith** and SSOs **Breandan Wolff** and **Priscilla Lien**. We thank all of them for their contributions to our students' learning.

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Staffing for 2026

Joining our teaching team in 2026 will be:

Lauren Cookson	Primary
Michael Reichstein	Primary
Peta Treloar	Primary
Dan Bird	Secondary Maths/Science
Chris Cordingley	Secondary Maths/Science
Nicole Grant	Secondary English/HASS
Lily Thomas	Secondary English/HASS
Bridie Thorp	Secondary Arts
Milly Hoffman	Senior Leader- Agriculture, Science & Sustainability.

I wish everyone a safe and joyful break and look forward to welcoming everyone back in the new year.

Mrs Lee Knight
Principal



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Our 2026 SLC School Captains & Vice-Captains

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Over the past two weeks, five of our senior school students were nominated and participated in interviews to be our 2026 School Captains. These are the new titles for the Student Leadership Council President and Vice Presidents.

These Captains and Vice Captains will be our Student leaders for 2026 who will lead by example, promote positive culture, and embody the school's values. They will help make decisions and strengthen connections both at a school level as well as our community.

These five students presented exceptional ideas on how they would like to make a positive change and lead initiatives in our school community. Each of our captains and vice-captains have a focus aligning with areas they are passionate about in regards to school life and student representation.

We are very proud and happy to announce our 2026 School Captains and Vice Captains.

Captains



Taylor Ramsay
Student Voice



Hamish Butler
School Culture



Caitlin Colla
Agriculture

Vice Captains



Katie Hudson
Student Wellbeing



Niamh Burgoyne
School Promotion

Rachel Sant Learning Culture Leader 5-7



I have been teaching for eleven years and have been at Oakbank School for six of them. Spending the day learning with the students is something that is fun and a rewarding experience.

Rachel's 5 loves!



Reading



**Going to
concerts**



Cheese



**Spending
time with
family**



**Being
outside**

My first year of teaching was at a small school in Coonalpyn and then as a specialist science teacher in Whyalla. I spent my first five years here at Oakbank in the upper primary. I have also led the Festival Choir with the upper primary for the past four years.

This year I have moved into the high school and have worked with students from years 5 – 9. It has been awesome to reconnect with the students that I had taught, seeing them grown up and further along in their learning journey has been really rewarding. My new role in the high school has given me a new challenge - and I've had to dust off my science and maths knowledge! My goal this year has been to work closely with families, building relationships and supporting students to be successful at school. I have also been working closely with students and families who will be starting at Oakbank next year, helping them to feel confident in their move to high school.

Oakbank has been my favourite school to teach at - the people are amazing and the place is beautiful. The connections and support that are facilitated at a small school are rare and prized. Everyone knows everyone and people are always happy to help each other with a friendly smile on their faces. Oakbank School is one of the places I am most happy. When I first came here and heard the cows mooing while I was in my classroom, it was a weird experience. Now I have gotten used to it but I still spend each day taking

mindful walks through grounds and appreciating what is around me.

I have a 17-year-old son who has just finished year 12 as well as a pet cat called 'Chip'. I live in the city so the drive to and from work each day allows me to turn up the music and sing while I get ready for or relax from the day. I was born in England and moved to Adelaide when I was 14. I love the Adelaide Hills. They remind me of growing up in England - the rain! The leaves changing colour and falling! As I have gotten older, I have tried to go on trips to different places in Australia, as well as within South Australia, to see as much of this beautiful country as I can. Going camping with my partner has become a holiday tradition and we love to hike during the day and find the different constellations in the sky at night.

Rachel Sant

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2025 *Presentation Night*



PLEASE JOIN US IN
CONGRATULATING
THE YEAR 12 CLASS 2025

“ ... you can achieve anything you put your mind to and no matter what; do NOT give up! ”

Ava Smith
Valedictory Speech



Presentation Night Celebrating excellence



On Thursday 20 November Oakbank School celebrated our Year 12 Class of 2025 and award winners from throughout our secondary school.

Our 2025 Presentation Night was held at the breathtaking Ukaria function centre at Mt Barker Springs and our students' achievements and efforts were recognised through awards, scholarships and prizes supported by local individuals, community groups, local and state government.

We also heard the inspiring story of Oakbank School alumni and RSL Anzac of the Year 2025, **Dennis Oldenhove**, as keynote speaker, and enjoyed a heartfelt valedictory speech from **Ava Smith**. We congratulate all our Year 12 students and our award winners and wish you all success for your future endeavours.

Award Winners

Principal's Award Ava Smith

Years 11/12 Academic & Curriculum Awards

Creative Arts Jinx Plummer
KW Wholesalers

Society and Culture Jinx Plummer
Lenswood Cold stores
Co-operative Society

Food & Hospitality Justine Hernandez
The Charleston Hotel

Essential English Justine Hernandez
Lenswood Cold stores
Co-operative Society

General English Maddison Norris
Distict Council for Kavel

Essential Maths Holly Braendler
Mile End Office Furniture

General Maths Keenan Mullen
Lenswood Cold stores
Co-operative Society





Maths Methods

*Lenswood Cold stores
Co-operative Society*

Maddison Norris
Ava Smith

Biology

Coles

Ava Smith

Chemistry

Kiwanis Club of the Adelaide Hills

Ava Smith

AIF

Devon Clothing

Hamish Butler

Personal Commitment Awards

Food & Hospitality

Keenan Mullen

Essential English

Keenan Mullen

General English

Lochlan Coulter

Society & Culture

Lincon Shippides

AIF

Taylor Ramsay

General Maths

Justine Hernandez

Maths Methods

Zac Flavell

Creative Arts

Holly Braendler

Material Solutions

Tyson Bleby

Cade Ross

Biology

Mykala Reid

Service & Excellence Awards

Agriculture Award

*Donation by anonymous
neighbour's of Oakbank School*

The 2025 Sheep Team:

Matthew Hudson

Katie Hudson

Indy Plummer

Tilly Causer

Milla Thredgold

Charlotte Traeger

Bill Pearse

Ella Partridge

Harry Watson





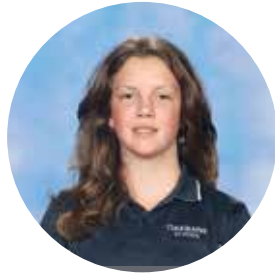
Hills Woodworkers Inc Woodworking Award Holly Braendler
Mayo Community Service District Council of Mount Barker Star of the Hills Ava Smith
Ampol Best All-Rounder Ryder Krivushenko
Governing Council Sports Holly Braendler
The Charleston Hotel Justine Hernandez
 Hamish Butler

ADF Long Tan Leadership Award
Year 10 Caitlin Colla
Year 12 Caleb Norman

ADF Future Innovators Award
Year 10 Holly Sleep
Year 12 Zac Flavell

Lions Club of Onkaparinga Awards
Outstanding Service to the School Nick Chassiotis
Leadership & Academic Excellence Ava Smith





Lions Club of Onkaparinga Scholarships

- Year 10 Scholarship** Marley Foster
- Year 10 Scholarship** Will Davies
- Year 11 Scholarship** Jasmine McMahon
- Year 11 Scholarship** Shae McMahon
- Year 11 Scholarship** Fletcher Lawrence

Rotary Club of Onkaparinga Awards

- Leadership & Contribution to Community** Oliver Phillips

Kiwanis Dux Awards

- Year 7** Lilly McCallum
- Year 8** Jacov Hernandez
- Year 9** Carmelina Bettio
- Year 10** Caitlin Colla
- Year 11** Taylor Ramsay

Vocational Education & Training Award
Emmetts - Oakbank

- Zac Flavell
- Tayisha Holt

Greening School Pride
Muriel Matters Award
SA Government

- Katie Hudson
- Jinx Plummer

Longevity Award

- Ava Smith
- Micah Mrazek



When things change... don't forget to tell us!

Moved house? 

Family circumstances different? 

New phone number or email?  

Medical details need updating? 



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keep us connected.

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Connection, Family & Sacrifice

Remembrance Day 2025 Grandparents & Special Friends Morning

On 11 November each year, our primary years students hold a Grandparents & Special Friends Morning, co-inciding with the whole-school's Remembrance Day Ceremony.

Prior to the 11.00am ceremony to honour those who have fought and sacrificed for our country, Performing Arts teacher Mr Steven Gallagher worked closely with our primary students to prepare a beautiful performance for Grandparents & Special Friends Morning and they were absolutely amazing! Guests joined in for fun classroom and outdoor activities, sharing laughter and smiles with students. The event was filled with warmth, respect, and community spirit, a truly special day for everyone involved.





Following the morning activities, Grandparents and special guests joined the school community for our Remembrance Day Ceremony. Students presented readings and poems to honour those who have served. The ceremony was a moving and respectful tribute, showing the maturity and gratitude of our students.

A big thank you to everyone who made the day so special, our students, staff, families, and guests. It was a wonderful celebration of community, remembrance, and respect.



Premier's ANZAC Spirit School Prize Oakbank students' excellence

The Premier's Anzac Spirit School Prize provides young South Australians with the opportunity to examine and empathise with the remarkable sacrifices of South Australian service men and women during the 20th century. The prize is open to all South Australian students in Years 9 and 10.

Congratulations Harley & Caitlin!

We are proud to announce that **Harley P (Year 9)** and **Caitlin C (Year 10)** have been selected as winners of the **2025 Premier's Anzac Spirit School Prize**. With only **20 students** chosen statewide, having two recipients from Oakbank is an exceptional achievement. Their prize is a fully funded study tour to **Belgium and France** next year.

We also recognise the outstanding support of **Kat Thompson**, who has encouraged students to pursue this opportunity for many years. Her guidance of Harley, Caitlin, and Katie has been instrumental in this success.

This achievement highlights what Oakbank students are capable of when provided with strong support, high expectations, and meaningful opportunities. We look forward to Harley and Caitlin sharing their experience with us next year!



Ultimate Frisbee Oakbank lunchtime frisbee club enters local event



On Wednesday 22 October, a group of enthusiastic year 8 and 9 students represented Oakbank School at an Ultimate Frisbee Sporting Event. This opportunity was the result of their dedication to our lunchtime frisbee club, which has been running since late term 2.

Ultimate Frisbee is a fast-paced sport played in teams of seven, where the aim is to pass the disc to teammates in the end zone to score points. Our students embraced the challenge with enthusiasm and teamwork. Despite some tough, windy conditions that made scoring difficult, they demonstrated great determination and perseverance throughout the day.

The team achieved a couple of impressive wins and, more importantly, gained valuable experience and confidence. It was fantastic to see them support each other and grow as a team. Well done to everyone involved for their effort, sportsmanship and commitment!

Dave Binney





What does the Australia's Social Media Delay mean?

10 December 2025

"Social media has been part of how kids connect, create and belong. The new rules mean under-16s can't have accounts, but this is also a chance to build safer, healthier digital habits."



eSafety
Commissioner

Key Points for Parents, Caregivers & Students

- From **10 December 2025**, children under 16 cannot hold accounts on TikTok, Instagram, Snapchat, Facebook, YouTube, X and Reddit in Australia.
- Platforms carry the responsibility. They must take reasonable steps to prevent under-16s from creating or keeping accounts.
- Enforcement is through the eSafety Commissioner. If platforms fail to comply, they can face penalties of up to \$49.5 million per breach.
- The law applies to platforms, not families. Parents and children will not be fined or penalised.
- No mandatory ID checks. Platforms are not required to verify every user with government ID, but they must show they have effective systems in place.

From 10 December 2025, **children under 16 who hold accounts on social media may have their accounts suspended or permanently deleted by the platform.**



Not Yet: Building Safety and Skills First

The Delay is About Protection

Social media can expose children to bullying, scams, exploitation, harmful content and pressure to perform. Delaying access until 16 gives them time to build resilience, independence, and digital skills before stepping into those spaces.

Risks of Workarounds

Using a parent's account, lying about age, or shifting to unsafe apps still puts kids at risk. Underage accounts may be removed, and safety settings don't work properly if they're pretending to be older.

Building Positive Alternatives

Encourage kids to save what matters, set up safe ways to connect with friends, explore digital tools for learning and creativity, and balance screen time with offline hobbies and friendships.



Additional Information:

eSafety Commissioner – [Social Media Age Restrictions Hub](#)
Cyber Safety Project – [Simplifying the Social Media Reset](#)
OAIC – [Online Safety Act - Social Media](#)

IS IT SOCIAL MEDIA?

According to the Legislation, for a service to count as a social media platform with under-16 restrictions, it usually ticks most of these boxes:

- ✔ **It's an online service** that people in Australia can access.
- ✔ **Users can post their own content** (like photos, videos, or comments).
- ✔ **Users can interact with each other** (liking, commenting, messaging, following).
- ✔ A **main purpose** of the service is to let **people connect and socialise online.**
- ✔ It's **not mainly for** something else like **shopping, email, video calls, school platforms, or health services.**

Source: "How to assess if a service is an age-restricted social media platform" via [eSafety.gov.au](https://www.esafety.gov.au).

If a platform meets these points, it's likely to be covered by the new law and must block under-16s. Apps listed in this document are accurate at the time of publication (21 November 2025). Stay up-to-date by visiting [eSafety.gov.au](https://www.esafety.gov.au) for live updates.

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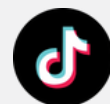
Services that currently meet this criteria:



YouTube



Snapchat



TikTok



Facebook



X



Instagram



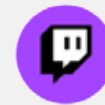
Reddit



Kick



Threads



Reddit

For a live list visit [esafety.gov.au](https://www.esafety.gov.au)

STILL AVAILABLE

Services still accessible by users under-16:



Messenger



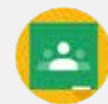
WhatsApp



Discord



YouTube Kids



Google Classroom



GitHub



Pinterest



Steam



Roblox

WHERE TO REACH OUT FOR ADVICE OR HELP

KIDS HELPLINE



24/7 free, confidential counselling for young people and parents.

[KIDSHELPLINE.COM.AU](https://www.kidshelpline.com.au)

ESAFETY



clear guidance on the new laws and digital safety & wellbeing tips.

[ESAFETY.GOV.AU](https://www.esafety.gov.au)

HEADSPACE



Resources and support for mental health and online challenges.

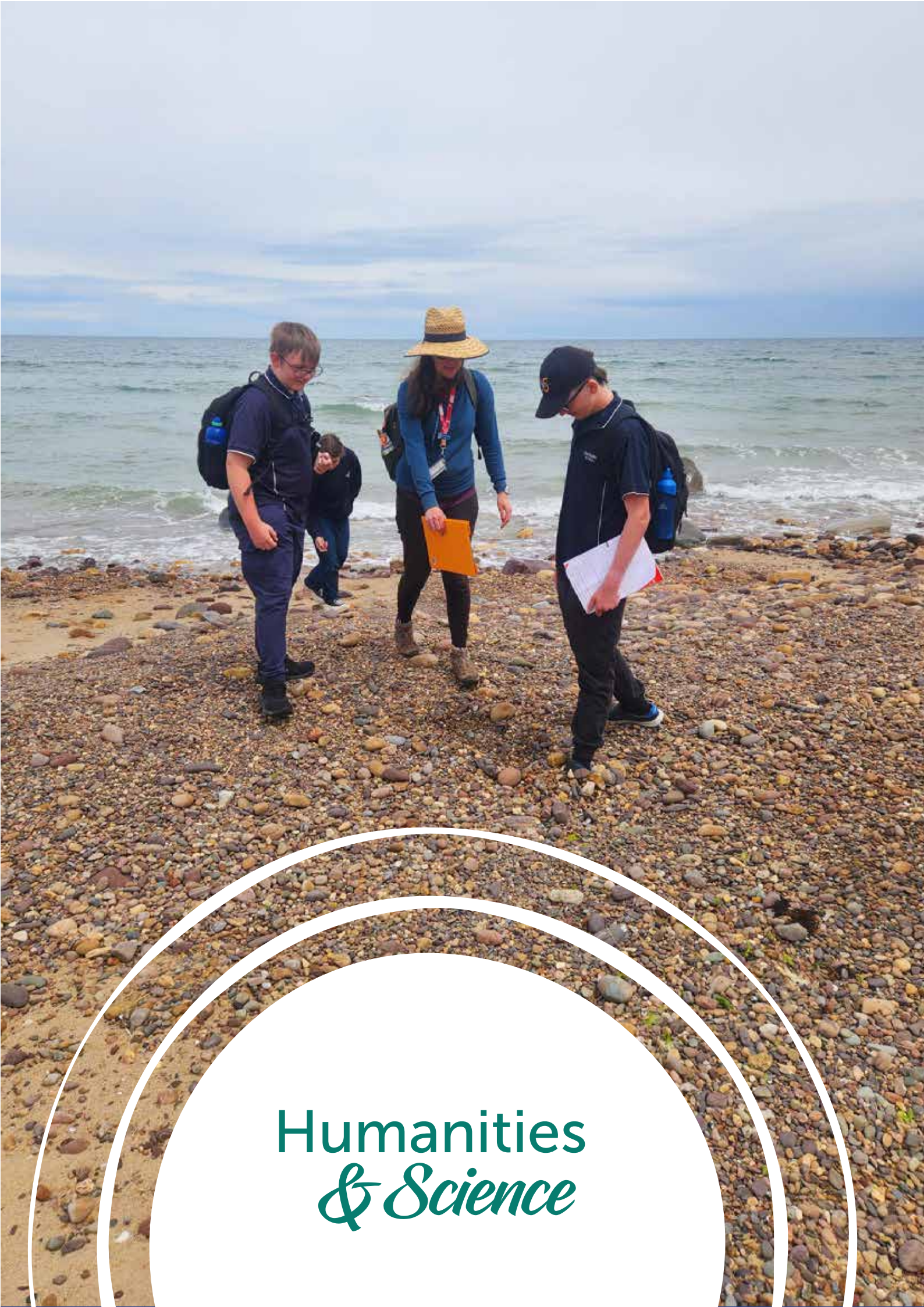
[HEADSPACE.ORG.AU](https://www.headspace.org.au)

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Parents can call **1300 364 100** for information and support at any time, seven days a week.

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Humanities
& Science



Hallett Cove Conservation Park rocks! HASS & Science excursion

Thursday 13 November saw the year 8 cohort take a trip to the Hallett Cove Conservation Park to deepen their learning for the subjects of Humanities and Social Sciences (HASS) and Science.



For **HASS**, students were looking at coastal landforms such as cliffs, headlands, and sand dunes and looking at the coastal landscape as a whole. Students also looked at how to manage natural hazards and disasters.

“
The excursion was fun, but there was a LOT of walking!
”

“
The amphitheatre was so cool! It was like something you'd find in Rome.
”





“

I liked drawing the beach.

”

For **Science**, students made detailed observations of three well-known rock formations; the sugarloaf, the amphitheatre, and the black cliffs. They used their understanding of the rock cycle to describe the history of the area.

Emily Playford



“

The view from the black cliff was pretty cool, and the weathering and erosion at the sugarloaf looked like a waterfall.”

”



“

We found so many cool rocks and crabs on the beach.

”





Fondant Creations

Fondant Cake Decorating with Year 9 Food Technology

This term, our Year 9 students participated in a hands-on and creative Fondant Cake Making program as part of their Food Technology studies. Over four engaging lessons, students worked collaboratively in small groups to bring their themed cake designs to life.

Each group began by selecting a theme, sketching design ideas, and planning how to construct and decorate their cake. Students then baked their cakes and practised rolling, shaping, colouring, and applying fondant to create detailed decorative elements.

The final cakes showcased teamwork, creativity, and newly developed technical skills. Their finished products were colourful, imaginative, and a highlight of this term's Food Technology program.

FeiFei Ghandar
Food Technology Teacher







All

loan laptops must be **returned before end of term**

Return during week 9

-  Laptop
-  Power adaptor
-  Bag

Before you return, have you...

-  **Backed up?**
Is the OneDrive app signed in with your school email to backup?
-  **Finishing School?**
Sign in with a personal account & copy any files!

After returning...

-  Laptop checked for deposit return



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Need a

for
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Check out the **2026 BYOD Handbook** for details & free* laptop access for **school card** families

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- 1 Purchase a recommended laptop**
oakbank.orderportal.com.au
Choose from 2 great laptop models from
- 2 Use or purchase your own laptop**
Bring an existing laptop or source your own that meets our requirements.
- 3 Apply for the Laptop Access Scheme (LAS) for School Card Families**
Oakbank School, in partnership with the School Device Program, offers families who apply for and are eligible for School Card in 2026 free* access to a laptop device for the school year for secondary (years 7 - 12) students.

Devices remain the property of Oakbank School.

Emergency Day Loan & Special Circumstances (SCL) Short & Long-term loans*

When the unforeseen happens, limited numbers of day, short or long-term loan* laptops are available on application for special circumstances or during repairs.

* Refundable deposits apply of \$100 (LAS, SCL Long Term) & \$50 (SCL Short Term). See loan applications for full details.

APPLYING FOR A SCHOOL CARD



School Card Scheme

If you're a low-income family with children attending government schools, you can get financial help with school fees, materials & services charges with the School Card scheme.



Oakbank School, in partnership with the School Device Program, offers families who apply for and are eligible for School Card in 2026 free* access to a laptop device for the school year for secondary (years 7 - 12) students.

Who can apply

School Card is available to:

- families with children aged four years and over who attend a school full-time
- independent full-time students studying year 10, 11 or 12
- adult re-entry students who are completing their SACE.

Eligibility

To qualify for a School Card, your family's gross income must be below a certain limit. See online for full details.

How to apply

Applications for the 2026 school year will open mid January 2026.

** see Oakbank School School Card Laptop Access Scheme Device Loan Agreement for full details*

Applying online is easy! Simply follow the steps below.

- STEP 1** Visit sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard
- STEP 2** Select the type of School Card you would like to apply for (for example 'Type A' - the most common) and follow the prompts.
- STEP 3** Complete all mandatory fields.
Please note: you cannot submit your application unless all mandatory fields are complete.
- STEP 4** Once you have completed a page click on the 'NEXT' button.
- STEP 5** Once you have filled out all pages click the 'SUBMIT' button.
Please note: if you exit the form without clicking 'SUBMIT' your details will be lost.

You can save the form, and return to complete it at another time, by clicking on the 'SAVE' button.



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5th birthday



Starting school



Time in reception



When can my child start school?
My child turns 5...





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School & Community Information

PLEASE HELP PEOPLE FACING POVERTY THIS CHRISTMAS.

VINNIES CHRISTMAS APPEAL

Every year **St Vincent de Paul** supply hampers to local families during the holiday season. If you are able to, and would like to contribute **non-perishable food items**, we are collecting them at the **Oakbank School Front Office** until **Thursday 4 December**.

Here are some ideas for items to donate:

- Fruit cake
- Christmas pudding
- Biscuits
- Tinned fruit
- Long-life custard
- Jelly
- Long-life juice
- Tea and Coffee
- Spreads
- Cereal
- Milo
- Cereal
- Dried Pasta
- Long-life milk
- Pancake mix
- Pasta sauce
- Christmas lollies
- Tinned vegetables
- Shortbread
- Fruit mince pies
- Soup



Thank you for supporting the Vinnies Christmas Appeal.

Your generosity will help other s to have a brighter Christmas.



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Canteen Operator Required

Oakbank School - Commencing Term 1 2026



Fast Food Award Level 1 pay rate.

Are you seeking a work-life balance, casual and school-friendly hours, evenings free, weekends and school holidays off while being able to support and give something back to your school community?

Rory's School Lunches manages, supplies, and operates school canteens throughout South Australia, with a commitment to providing nutritious food to students and school communities. As a family-owned and operated business, we recognise that our employees are our greatest asset.

We are looking for a Canteen Operator who will be responsible for running the Oakbank Canteen 3 day a week (Wed-Fri).

This role involves food preparation, basic cooking, serving students, stock receiving and ensuring that canteen areas are tidy and clean.

If this sounds like something you would be interested in and would like to help your local school canteen, please email your details and work experience through to

dionne.brewer@rorys.com.au

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